

I would like to voice my support for an Amateur Radio Service allocation as described by the ARRL in the petition (RM-10209). As I am writing this on my computer I am also reading a copyrighted story on CNN's web page:

"Chantal Heading west in a Hurry"

Chantal, the Atlantic's third tropical storm of the season, roared to life Thursday on a collision course with the Caribbean islands. The storm, which was upgraded from an unnamed tropical depression early Thursday, may become a hurricane within a day or two, according to the National Weather Service.

When these storms threaten the tiny island nations in the Carribean, often, in the aftermath, the Amateur Radio Service is only means of communication available. Anything that would enhance the current capabilities of the Amateur Radio Service, while at the same time avoiding interference to other services should be supported.

Additionally, during the normal use of allocated spectrum, amateur experimentation leads to improved and more efficient use of that spectrum, and adds to the radio art.

These things, I feel, adequetly supports the petition.

Sincerly & 73(Best Wishes)

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